

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
First Quarter Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - March 2002**

Juvenile Court **MONROE**  
Court Number **62**

January - March 2002                      126 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      121 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
3	OR	2.10% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
6	OR	4.20% Theft of Property
6	OR	4.20% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
4	OR	2.80% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Other Drug Offenses
2	OR	1.40%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
1	OR	0.70%	Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00%	Escape
1	OR	0.70%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
4	OR	2.80%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
2	OR	1.40%	Disorderly Conduct
2	OR	1.40%	Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00%	Gambling
0	OR	0.00%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00%	Contempt of Court
17	OR	11.89%	Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
1	OR	0.70%	Unruly Behavior
10	OR	6.99%	Truancy
0	OR	0.00%	In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
1	OR	0.70%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
9	OR	6.29%	Dependency/Neglect
2	OR	1.40%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
9	OR	6.29%	Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00%	Administrative Review
11	OR	7.69%	Foster Care Review
18	OR	12.59%	Custody
7	OR	4.90%	Visitation
1	OR	0.70%	Paternity/Legitimation
24	OR	16.78%	Child Support
0	OR	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00%	Consent to Marry
2	OR	1.40%	Other

143	OR	100.00%	Total
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Of the 126 Cases, There Were

143 Referral Sources

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**Referral Source**

31	OR	21.7% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
45	OR	31.5% Were Referred By Parents
2	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Relatives
2	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Self
10	OR	7.0% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
28	OR	19.6% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
15	OR	10.5% Were Referred By Court Staff
1	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
3	OR	2.1% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
5	OR	3.5% Other
143	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 126 Cases, There Were 143 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

95	OR	66.4% Petition Filed
17	OR	11.9% Motion Filed
0	OR	0.0% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
30	OR	21.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
1	OR	0.7% Does Not Apply
143	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 126 Cases:

#### **Type Of Detention**

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
2	OR	1.6% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
124	OR	98.4% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
126	OR	100.0% Total

#### **Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**

1	OR	0.8% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
1	OR	0.8% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
124	OR	98.4% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
126	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

121 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

49	OR	40.5% Birth Through Age 10
8	OR	6.6% Ages 11 Through 12
16	OR	13.2% Ages 13 Through 14
28	OR	23.1% Ages 15 Through 16
19	OR	15.7% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
1	OR	0.8% Unknown/Not Reported
121	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

68	OR	56.2% Male
53	OR	43.8% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
121	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

109	OR	90.1% White
5	OR	4.1% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
6	OR	5.0% Mixed Race
1	OR	0.8% Unknown
121	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 121 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

4	OR	3.3% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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6	OR	5.0% Living With Both Biological Parents
0	OR	0.0% Living With Father And Stepmother
3	OR	2.5% Living With Mother And Stepfather

38	OR	31.4% Living With Mother
6	OR	5.0% Living With Father
6	OR	5.0% Living With Relatives
2	OR	1.7% Living With Adoptive Parents
7	OR	5.8% Living With Foster Family
2	OR	1.7% Living In A Group Home
6	OR	5.0% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
42	OR	34.7% Unknown
3	OR	2.5% Other
121	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

84	OR	69.4% Were Enrolled In School
21	OR	17.4% Were Not Enrolled In School
16	OR	13.2% Unknown
121	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

20	OR	16.5% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 2
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 3
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 4
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 5
1	OR	0.8% Finished Grade 6
4	OR	3.3% Finished Grade 7
8	OR	6.6% Finished Grade 8
5	OR	4.1% Finished Grade 9
3	OR	2.5% Finished Grade 10
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 11
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
80	OR	66.1% Unknown
121	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

12	OR	9.9% Were Enrolled In Special Education
43	OR	35.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
66	OR	54.5% Unknown
121	OR	100.0% Total

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**NOTE:** In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		181 Specific Case Outcomes
2	OR	1.10% Case Dismissed
0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled
12	OR	6.63% Held Open For Review
23	OR	12.71% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
2	OR	1.10% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
2	OR	1.10% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
12	OR	6.63% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
1	OR	0.55% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
4	OR	2.21% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
1	OR	0.55% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
1	OR	0.55% Fine
16	OR	8.84% Public Service
8	OR	4.42% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
6	OR	3.31% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
3	OR	1.66% DCS Commitment/Custody
2	OR	1.10% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
1	OR	0.55% Other Intensive Probation
2	OR	1.10% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
1	OR	0.55% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
3	OR	1.66% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
2	OR	1.10% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
6	OR	3.31% Foster Care Continued

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16	OR	8.84% Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged
12	OR	6.63% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
1	OR	0.55% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
25	OR	13.81% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
17	OR	9.39% Other
181	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the	143	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
131	OR	91.6% Disposed By The Judge
12	OR	8.4% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
143	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 126 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 143 Referral Reasons Was:

2	OR	1.4% Dismissed
0	OR	0.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
34	OR	23.8% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
20	OR	14.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
4	OR	2.8% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
1	OR	0.7% Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.7% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
44	OR	30.8% Special Proceeding
25	OR	17.5% Review Concluded
11	OR	7.7% Case Held Open
1	OR	0.7% Other
143	OR	100.0% Total